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Mr. G. HARISARVOTTAMA RAO :—" May I know what the hon. Minister proposes to do with the existing Board and whether he will work it on the lines of the new Bill ? "

The hon. Dr. P. SUBBARAYAN :—" The hon. Member must remember that the whole Act will have to be worked as it is till the new Bill is passed and comes into force."

Mr. G. HARISARVOTTAMA RAO :—" May I know whether the new appointments have been made ? "

The hon. Dr. P. SUBBARAYAN :—" I have already said that no new appointments have been made."

Reduction of the number of Commissioners of the Hindu Religious Endowments Board.

*1654 Q.—Mr. A. B. SHETTY : Will the hon. the Minister for Education and Local Self-Government be pleased to state—

(a) whether any proposal for reducing the number of Commissioners of the Hindu Religious Endowments Board is being considered by the Government ; and

(b) if so, who has made this proposal and for what reasons ?

A.—There is no such proposal.

Medical

Proposed compensation to the Radiologist.

*1655 Q.—Diwan Bahadur P. C. ETHIRAJULU NAYUDU : Will the hon. the Minister for Public Health be pleased to state whether it is a fact that the Surgeon-General has submitted a scheme whereby Government will take over the private practice of Captain Barnard, the Radiologist, after paying him compensation ?

A.—Yes.

Mr. ABDUL HAMEED KHAN :—" May I know the amount of compensation that has been agreed to be paid to the radiologist ? "

The hon. Mr. S. MUTHIAH MUDALIYAR :—" It has not been settled yet."

Agriculture

Proceedings of the Agricultural Conference at Coimbatore.

*1656 Q.—Mr. A. B. SHETTY : Will the hon. the Minister for Development be pleased to state—

(a) what subjects were discussed at the conference of agricultural officers held last month at Coimbatore ; and

(b) what decisions were arrived at in regard to the questions considered at that conference ?

A.—(a) & (b) An extract [a] from the Proceedings of the Conference specifying the important subjects discussed and the findings thereon is appended.

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[a] Printed as Appendix II on pages 675–680 infra.